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In re application of:

Anna Gutowska

Application No. 09/209,541 Filed: December 11, 1998 Confirmation No. 6863

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For	No. after amendment	No. paid for previously		Present Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	18	- 46*	=	0	\$9.00	\$ 0.00
Indep. Claims	2	- 4**	=	0	\$43.00	\$ 0.00
Mult. Dep. Claims Fee (if not previously paid)					\$145.00	
One-month Extension of Time					\$55.00	\$55.00
Two-month Extension of Time					\$210.00	
Three-month Extension of Time					\$475.00	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$55.00

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